Resume

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EDUCATION

<u>College</u> BS Chemistry, cum laude

Department of Chemistry

Wofford College, Spartanburg, SC

1978-1982

Graduate Ph.D. -- conferred July, 1987

Department of Microbiology and Immunology

Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston, SC

August 1982 - July 1987

<u>Dissertation</u> Production and characterization of a monoclonal antibody to an antigen present on

subsets of natural killer cells and human tumor cells.

POSITIONS HELD

Private Forensic Consultation May, 2003 - present

Senior Forensic Scientist Technical Associates, Inc.

4125 Market Street, Suite #3

Ventura, CA 93003

February 1997 – May, 2003

Director DNA Laboratory

Joseph A. Jachimczyk Forensic Center

1885 Old Spanish Trail Houston, TX 77054

September 1993 - December 1996

Supervisor DNA Laboratory / Serology Section

Joseph A. Jachimczyk Forensic Center

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April 1993 - September 1993

Assistant DNA Laboratory

<u>Toxicologist</u> Joseph A. Jachimczyk Forensic Center

1885 Old Spanish Trail Houston, TX 77054

November 1991 - April 1993

Post-doctoral Fellow Department of Molecular Hematology

Advisor: Albert Deisseroth, M.D., Ph.D. Chairman, Department of Hematology M.D. Anderson Cancer Research Hospital

Houston, TX 77030

October 1988 - November 1991

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Department of Microbiology and Immunology Advisor: Alfred Tsang, Ph.D. Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, SC September 1987 - September 1988

CONTINUING EDUCATION - FORENSICS

CLASSES and WORKSHOPS

Validation Workshop, International Symposium on Human Identification, October, 2007.

Y-STR Analysis on Forensic Casework, American Academy of Forensic Sciences, February 2004.

Expert Witness Workshop, Southwestern Working Group on DNA Analysis Methods (SWGDAM), January, 2000.

Mitochondrial DNA Workshop, International Symposium on Human Identification, September, 1999.

FBI/SWGDAM STR Workshop, Austin, TX, 1998.

Statistics Workshop, International Symposium on Human Identification, September, 1996, 2002.

STR Workshop, The Promega Corporation, May, 1995.

Roche Amplitype Workshop, Roche Molecular Systems, December, 1992.

Armed Forces Institute of Pathology DNA Identification Laboratory, visiting scientist to learn methods of mitochondrial DNA sequencing on aged remains, October, 1992.

Advanced Aspects of Forensic DNA Analysis (courtroom testimony), FBI Academy, June, 1992.

CONFERENCES

International Symposium on Human Identification 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1999, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2007.

American Academy of Forensic Sciences 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 2001.

The Future of DNA Technology, Washington, DC, 1996.

CODIS Software Symposium, Quantico, VA, 1995.

Advances in DNA Technology, Bethesda, MD, 1992.

OTHER INFORMATION

CERTIFICATIONS

Certification of Qualification as Laboratory Director in Forensic Identity by the State of New York Department of Heath, issued August 12, 2002.

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APPOINTMENTS

California Senate Rules Committee Crime Laboratory Review Task Force, appointed October, 2007.

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

Member of American Academy of Forensic Sciences

Association of Forensic DNA Analysts and Administrators (AFDAA) (formerly Southwest Working Group on DNA Analysis Methods)

INVITED LECTURES

California Habeas Corpus Resource Center Spring Conference, June, 2007.

Washington State Bar Association, May, 2007.

CACJ/CPDA Capital Case Defense Seminar, February, 2007.

Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association, September, 2006.

Rusty Duncan Law Seminar, San Antonio, Texas, June, 2006.

Osgoode Professional Development Center Symposium on Forensic DNA Evidence, Toronto, Canada, April, 2006.

Third Annual Forensic Science Conference DNA Cross-Examination College, Washington, D.C., September, 2005.

Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association, September, 2005.

Forensic Bioinformatics 4th Annual Conference, Dayton, OH, August 2005.

CACJ/CPDA Capital Case Defense Seminar, February, 2005.

Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association, August, 2004.

California Habeas Corpus Resource Center Spring Conference, May, 2004.

CACJ/CPDA Capital Case Defense Seminar, February, 2004.

Washington State Bar Association, September, 2003.

Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association, August, 2003.

Utah Criminal Defense Lawyers Association, April, 2003.

The Innocence Project, March, 2003.

Second Annual Texas Capital Defense Conference, October, 2002.

Guest lecturer, University of Texas Law School, Advanced Criminal Defense class, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2004, 2006.

California Public Defenders Association (CPDA), January, 2001.

Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association, October, 1997.

Arizona Public Defenders' Seminar, April, 1997.

The Amersham Corporation, April, 1996.

College of the Mainland, April, 1995.

Southwest Association of Toxicologists, May, 1993.

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- 3. Seong, D., S. Sims, E. Johnson, J. Lyding, A. Lopez, M. Garovoy, M. Talpaz, H. Kantarjian, G. Lopez-Berestein, C. Reading, and A. Deisseroth. Activation of class I HLA expression by TNF-alpha and gamma-interferon is mediated through protein kinase C dependent pathway in CML cell lines. *British Journal of Haematology*, 78:359-367, 1991.
- 4. Deisseroth, A., O.M.Z. Howard, A. Wedrychowski, D. Seong, N. Paslidis, M. Romine, S. Sims, C.V. Herst, T. Yuan, K. Wu, T. Lopez and E. Johnson. Summary and Future Directions, in *Chronic Myelogenous Leukemia: Molecular Approaches to Research and Therapy*; A. Deisseroth and R. Arlinghaus, eds., 1991, pp.469-475.
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- 7. Seong, D.C., S. Sims, E. Johnson, O.M.Z. Howard, J. Hester, M. Talpaz, H. Kantarjian and A. Deisseroth. A phosphatase activity present in peripheral blood myeloid cells of CML patients but not normal individuals alters nuclear protein binding to transcriptional enhancers of interferoninducible genes. *J. Clin. Invest.*, 86:1664-1670, 1990.
- 8. Warren, R.Q., E.A. Johnson, R.P. Donnelly, M.F. LaVia and K.Y. Tsang. Specificity of antilymphocyte antibodies in sera from patients with AIDS-related complex (ARC) and healthy homosexuals. *Clin. and Exp. Immunol.*, 73:68-73, 1988.
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- 2. Ballard, K.D., R.S. Orkiszewski, M.S. Taylor, E.A. Johnson, and L. Ragle. DNA typing and the determination of EDTA in forensic samples by GC-MS/MS. Presented at the Seventh International Symposium on Human Identification, Scotsdale, AZ, 1996.
- 3. Ballard, K.D., R.S. Orkiszewski, M.S. Taylor, E.A. Johnson, and L. Ragle. Determination of EDTA in forensic samples by capillary GC-MS and GC-MS/MS. Presented at the 44th ASMS Conference on Mass Spectrometry and Allied Topics, Portland, Oregon, 1996.
- 4. Stacy, T., E.A. Johnson, J. Krebsbach, S. Bowne, and R. Cotton. Chemiluminescence of forensic casework: a comparison of the hybridization and detection methods of three independent laboratories. Presented at the Sixth International Symposium on Human Identification, Scotsdale, AZ, 1995.
- 5. Taylor, M.S., A. Challed, and E.A. Johnson. Co-amplification of the amelogenin gene with DQ-α utilizing the Amplitype reaction mix and amplification protocol. Presented at the Fifth International Symposium on Human Identification, Scotsdale, AZ, 1994.
- 6. Taylor, M.S., A. Challed, and E.A. Johnson. Co-amplification of the amelogenin gene with DQ-α utilizing the Amplitype reaction mix and amplification protocol. Presented at the California Association of Criminalists spring meeting, Los Angeles, CA, 1994.
- 7. Johnson, E., and M. Pennington. Use of alkaline phosphatase-labeled probes and chemiluminescence detection methods for establishing an RFLP data base and analysis of forensic cases. Presented at the Fourth International Symposium on Human Identification, Scotsdale, AZ, 1993.
- 8. Johnson, E., W. Henzel, and A. Deisseroth. Elevated levels of phospholipase C alpha are associated with alteration of complexes formed between interferon-inducible transcriptional enhancers and nuclear proteins in cells of interferon resistant chronic myelogenous leukemia (CML) patients. Presented at the annual meeting of the American Society for Hematology, Denver, CO, 1991.
- 9. Johnson, E., D. Seong, A. Wedrychowski, S. Sims, M. Romine, L. Huston, R. Luttrell and A. Deisseroth. A cytoplasmic phosphatase which is elevated in CML myeloid cells alters the binding of nuclear proteins to interferon-inducible transcriptional enhancers. Presented at the annual meeting of the American Society for Hematology, Boston, MA, 1990.
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- 15. Johnson, E.A., K.Y. Tsang, B. Koger, B. Ward, R.Q. Warren, M. La Via and H.H. Fudenberg. Production of a monoclonal antibody reactive with human natural killer cells. Federation Proceedings, 44, No. 4, 1330, 1985.

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